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Applicants: Wolfgang Schnitt et al. Group Art Unit: 2892 Serial No.: 10/587,596 Examiner: Huber, Robert T. Filed: April 24, 2007 Confirmation No.: 2386 For: INTEGRATED CIRCUIT CHIP WITH ELECTROSTATIC DISCHARGE PROTECTION DEVICE Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 PROPOSED AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL ACTION Sir: In response to the Final Office Action mailed September 12, 2008, please find the following: Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8 I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being facsimile transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below.

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